

WOODARDVILLE FIELD

08-1 and 08-2

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **TUESDAY, JANUARY 8, 2008**, upon the application of **EMPRESA ENERGY, LP.**

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Hosston Formation, Reservoir B and the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir B**, in the Woodardville Field, Bienville and Red River Parishes, Louisiana.

1. To create four (4) additional drilling and production units for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Hosston Formation, Reservoir B.
2. To create four (4) additional drilling and production units for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir B.
3. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within each of the proposed additional units in accordance with Section 10, Title 30, of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
4. To designate a unit operator of, and unit wells for, the proposed additional units as may be appropriate.
5. To permit Applicant to combine downhole production from the Hosston Formation, Reservoir B, with production from the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir B, in any well drilled on the identical units proposed for these formations in which well the interests in the units are identical.
6. To redefine the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir B, INsofar AND ONLY INsofar as to the additional units proposed herein, as being the stratigraphic equivalent of that gas and condensate bearing zone encountered between the depths of 9,730' and 12,925' (electrical log measurements) in the Encana Oil & Gas (USA) Inc.-JW Adcock Investments No. 1 Well, located in Section 15, Township 13 North, Range 9 West.
7. To extend, except as in conflict herewith, the provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 990-C Series of Orders, and all applicable Statewide Orders, to the proposed additional units for the Hosston Formation, Reservoir B.
8. To extend, except as in conflict herewith, the provisions of Order No. 990-B Series of Orders, and all applicable Statewide Orders, to the proposed additional units for the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir B.
9. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Hosston Formation, Reservoir B was defined in Order No. 990-C, effective February 1, 2006, and was further defined in Order No. 990-C-8, effective January 9, 2007.

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The Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir B was defined in Order No. 990-B, effective September 13, 2005, and was redefined as to certain units in Order No. 990-B-10, effective January 9, 2007, and in Order No. 990-B-23, effective July 17, 2007.

Plats are available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Shreveport**, Louisiana.

www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

JAMES H. WELSH
COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, LA

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**IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH
DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION-
ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P.O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-
9275 IN WRITING WITHIN TEN (10) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING
DATE.**